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HOMOEPATHIC Physician and Surgeon.

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### Millinery and Fancy Goods of Every Description

selected from the best known French and English importing houses in the trade which she will be pleased to display to her many friends and patrons.

Trusting to have pleased in the past, and hoping to meet your approval in the future, I beg to remain

Yours truly,

Miss E. C. Marshall,
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## An Up-to-Date Fertilizer Concern!

TRADE MARK

The above is the title given us by this paper in their issue of January 6th, 1898, and we believe the title is justly deserved, for we certainly are striving to be progressive in every particular branch of our business, and as an evidence of that we sold last year nearly 1000 tons more than we ever sold, and as soon as our fall trade was over we laid in decidedly the largest stock for Spring we had ever had, every dollar's worth of which was paid for before the beginning of the new year, and as materials have advanced in the meantime, we are therefore in a position to sell you at rock bottom prices what you will require this spring.

FOR OATS.

ARE YOU going to sow any? if so, we have a Special Goods for the purpose at $16.00 per ton. Try it.

FOR POTATOES AND TRUCK.

We have shipped already thousands of dollars worth to the truckers of New Jersey. Never were our goods so much in demand by the Jersey truckers as this year, and many of our Kent and Q. A. truckers have been in and spoken for more. Mr. J. Lewin Crew was in a few weeks ago and brought ten potatoes which weighed 10¾ lbs. which had been grown with our $24.00 Potato Manure.

FOR YOUR PEACH TREES.

Use our Fruit Grower. Mr. R. D. Hynson's tenants have been in to order again, and say where they used it last spring on their orchards, they could see to the very tree not only in the size of fruit but in the growth of new wood for this year's crop. If you contemplate using, place your order early as supply is limited.

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Use only Peerless. It has the best reputation for Tomatoes of any goods sold in the State of Maryland, and deservedly so from the fact it is in the first place an Animal Bone Fertilizer, contains 1000 lbs. to the ton. Is ammoniated with the animal matter on the animal Bone, fine ground fish and little nitrate and the potash is derived from high grade sulphate and muriate; not one lb. of kainit used in its manufacture. One patron writes he would have it if he had to pay $50.00 per ton for it, as he got four tons more off an acre where it went than another that cost $3.00 more per ton. Another received from the cannery man $17.00 per acre more from an acre where Peerless was used. The difference more than three times paid for the Phosphate. Another thing, we have never known Tomatoes to blight where it was used. This goods is the happiest combination for that crop that ever was compounded.

FOR CORN.

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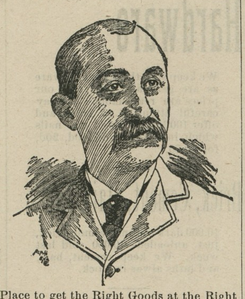
If you will only inform us what crop you desire to grow, we can furnish you the stuff to grow it with and save you money in the purchase of same. Please, therefore, correspond with or see us in person before placing your contracts.

Very truly yours,

T. R. HUBBARD & SON,
march 10, 1898. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

## Spring Dress Goods.
## Spring Millinery.
## R. BERGEN'S



OUR STORE is crowded with the Newest of Styles selected with experienced care, as to Quality, Good Taste, as to Style and Generous Prodigality, as to Variety it is the Right Place to get the Right Goods at the Right Prices. Fancy and Staple Dress Goods at Rock Bottom Prices. Silks for Waists and Trimmings. We make Black Dress Goods a Specialty.

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Respectfully yours,

R. BERGEN.

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I Have the Best $55.00 Carriage

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that I sell will cost you $12 or $15 anywhere else. A full supply of PLOW IRONS always on hand. I have just received a boat load of Salt, and now is the time to buy cheap.

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M. M. RASIN,
MELITOTA, MARYLAND.

## We Again Submit,

Through the TRANSCRIPT, to our friends and patrons for their consideration, the various lines of business we are handling. We take pleasure in reminding them that never before in our business career have we been in better position to serve them. A thorough search of the markets, combined with experience and cash buying have demanded for us, close purchasing prices.

## Our Stock

this Spring shall be sold to you on the same close calculated basis. Lumber is the principal branch of our business, we will present this issue, and we want to say right here, that we propose to do the business in this section, if good stock at close-shaved prices is a factor. We do not propose to be under-sold by any city house, and we can prove this to the satisfaction of all buyers of Lumber, by figures on bills of material, large or small. Delivery by rail or water. Estimates on contracts made.

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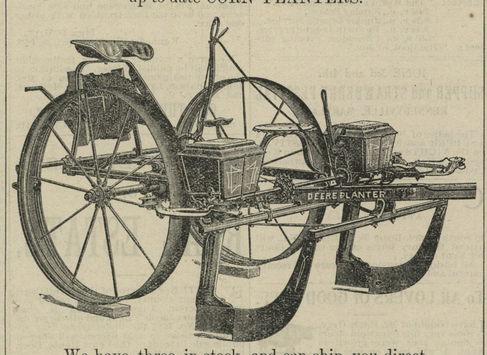
## TWO SPECIALTIES.

The first cut will represent one of our many up-to-date CORN PLANTERS.




We have three in stock, and can ship you direct to any point in the county. Have sold several so far. The three leading ones are:

HAMILTON (Complete with Phosphate Attachment).
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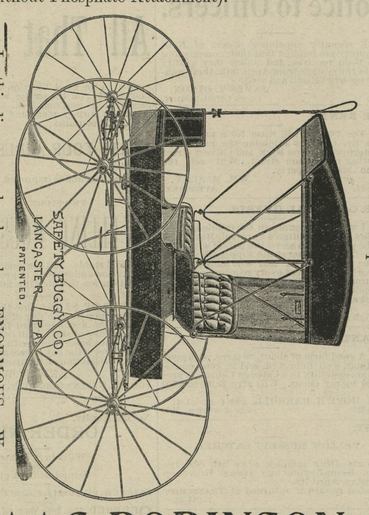
In this line our sales have been ENORMOUS. We carry constantly on hand from sixty to seventy-five, and for the next few weeks we will offer you some special CUT-PRICE BARGAINS. Come and see these, and a visit will convince you of this fact.




The next cut will represent CARRIAGES.

ISAAC ROBINSON,
STILL POND, MD.

## FARMERS AND LAND OWNERS

Why not Look to Your Interest

In the Improvement of your lands, while grain is a good price and the indications have an upward tendency. Does it pay to let your land sour and degenerate for want of a stimulant? We answer no. The question arises how are we to get the best results from our crops and at the same time raise the standard of our land? We answer by the use of lime. Well, what Lime do you think will give the best results? We think

The Celebrated Kerr's Wrightsville Lime,

which has stood the test for many years by our oldest and most prosperous land owners. We can furnish you with other limes as you may wish, all of which will be delivered to any station on the Balto. & Del. Bay R. R. at short notice on reasonable terms. Last but not least is the well known

Standard Lime and Stone Company's Lime,

which has been the greatest selling Lime on the market; this Lime runs 97 per cent. of pure Carbonate of Lime. We can deliver this Lime by water to any point on the Chesapeake Bay or tributaries on reasonable notice, We would be pleased to have you call on or write us before placing your orders.

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Building and White Wash Lime, Cements, Baled Hay, Roofing Felt and Terra Cotta Piping, all of which will be sold at city price. Hoping you may favor us with your orders and we will promise to try and please you. Thanking you for past favors, I remain, yours for business,

J. D. BACCHUS,
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Your heart beats over one hundred thousand times each day. One hundred thousand supplies of good or bad blood to your brain.

Which is it?

If bad, impure blood, then your brain aches. You are troubled with drowsiness yet cannot sleep. You are as tired in the morning as at night. You have no nerve power. Your food does you but little good.

Stimulants, tonics, headache powders, cannot cure you; but

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will. It makes the liver, kidneys, skin and bowels perform their proper work. It removes all impurities from the blood. And it makes the blood rich in its life-giving properties.

*To Hasten Recovery.*

You will be more rapidly cured if you will take a laxative dose of Ayer's pills each night. They arouse the sluggish liver and thus cure biliousness.

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## THE WEEDER.

**The Right and Wrong Soils on Which to Use It—Its Twofold Advantage.**

From east and west come good reports of the weeder. Rural New Yorker contains the following from Professor W. P. Brooks of the Massachusetts Agricultural college:

I consider the weeder one of the most valuable inventions in the line of agricultural implements of recent times. There is, naturally, a right and wrong way to use it; right and wrong conditions for the accomplishment of the objects in view. These objects are, briefly, destroying weeds and pulverizing the surface of the soil, forming a shallow layer of finely divided and mellow earth which will act as a mulch, serving to prevent, to a large extent, the evaporation of water which rises by capillary attraction from the more compact soil beneath.

The weeder does the best work on soil of light or medium character, and when such soils contain but a moderate amount of moisture. On heavy clay soils, saturated with water, the weeder will not do good work. It fails to stir the soil sufficiently, the teeth sliding over the surface instead of taking hold of it. By the very frequent use of the implement, however, never waiting long enough to allow the soil to become thoroughly compacted, the weeder may do very good work, even upon soils which are quite clayey. But upon such soils the harrow is often used with advantage alternately with the weeder.

Weeders are effective mainly in destroying annual weeds. The myriad seedlings which start in many fields can be effectively destroyed when the weeder is used aright. It must be used, to prove effective, just as these weeds are breaking the ground. If the use of the weeder is delayed until such weeds have made deep roots, it will have comparatively little effect upon them. To prove most effective as a weed destroyer, the weeder should be employed when the soil is comparatively free from water and when the weather is hot, clear and dry.

The weeder judiciously used on most soils will almost entirely obviate the necessity of hand hoeing for all our large growing crops. In my opinion, the weeder can be made even more valuable as a means of conserving soil moisture than as a weed destroyer, and for this purpose it should be used often. Whenever a crust is seen to be forming upon the surface of the soil, the weeder is called for, even though no weeds are apparent, and the drier and hotter the weather the more frequently it should be used.

**The Worker Bees.**

The worker bees are the smallest in the hive and are those we most frequently see, the number in each colony being from 10,000 to 50,000 as a rule. After a severe winter there may be only a few hundred in a hive and still build up to a colony, while it is possible for a colony to contain from 90,000 to 100,000 of these workers.

In the spring of 1872 I had so few as 85 workers and the queen, by actual count, left in a hive on May 10, yet these built up to a strong colony by fall and actually gave five pounds of section honey. Again, in July, 1877, I had a colony in an experiment, containing 32 frames which had, as near as estimation could get at it, 99,500 bees. This colony gave 566 pounds of surplus honey that season. The worker bees have a lengthened proboscis and their rear legs are of peculiar construction, so formed as to hold "pollen baskets." The proboscis is not tubular, as some naturalists have long supposed, to be used like a suction pump for sucking honey, but is rather of a flat shape and is used for lapping or licking the honey up. The worker has two stomachs, the first of which is used for receiving honey for the time being from the flowers, which is emptied as soon as it reaches the hive. Digestion never takes place in this stomach. The second stomach is the one used for digestion and to sustain the life of the bee. The sex of the workers was so long in doubt that they were called neuters, but it is now fully proved that they are undeveloped females.—Progressive Beekeeper.

**Richness In Sugar Beets.**

When beets were first used as a source of sugar, the amount of sugar contained in them averaged about 6 per cent. As a result of careful selection and breeding during a period of many years the amount of sugar has been increased to an average lying between the limits of 12 and 15 per cent. Many crops of beets show a sugar content of over 15 per cent, while in some exceptional cases the sugar has been reported as high as 20 per cent and even higher. Farmers must avoid the mistake of regarding exceptional cases as typical. When all the details are known about remarkably high yields of sugar in beets, it is usually found that special conditions exist which cannot readily be duplicated in commercial operations. The question of interest to each farmer pertains to the results he can secure on his farm, working under the conditions involved in growing beets on a commercial scale.—L. L. Van Slyke, New York Station.

**Fertilizer For Strawberries.**

Nitrate of soda is a valuable fertilizer for strawberries and raspberries and should be applied with powdered phosphate of lime.

This application to strawberries will sometimes treble the yield. The berries are larger in size, handsomer in color, more solid and finer in flavor. Ordinary manure will not produce such results, as it is not converted into plant food until after the demand of the fruit.

Nitrate of soda and powdered phosphate of lime are assimilated by the plant at once, and appropriated at a cost of less than $10 per acre, using 400 pounds of the mixture which contains the three ingredients considered necessary to use for feeding plants, nitrogen, phosphoric acid and an alkali. So says A. H. Ward in Mohan's Monthly.

**A Clever Trick.**

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Any can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys, Marlaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to Liver and Kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, Sleeplessness and Melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c. a bottle at M. A. Toulson's Drug Store.

**Men and Scholars.**

The object of the day is not to make scholars less scholarly, but to bring it to their hearts that the whole attitude of the Scripture upon the matter means that it is the order of the divine intention that a man should be a man before he is a scholar.—Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, Presbyterian, New York.

**Whooping Cough.**

I had a little boy who was nearly dead from an attack of whooping cough. My neighbors recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did not think that any medicine would help him, but after giving him a few doses of that remedy I noticed an improvement, and one bottle cured him entirely. It is the best cough medicine I ever had in the house.—J. L. MOORE, South Burgettstown, Pa. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

A STYLISH TOILETTE OF TAFFETA SILK TRIMMED WITH VELVET RIBBON.

Ruffles in every conceivable depth and in varying degrees of fulness will be seen on the skirts for Summer wear, whether they be of sheer material or of silk. Often the ruffles will be trimmed with narrow velvet ribbon or with insertion and they may cover the skirt entirely or terminate just below the knee. Graduated circular flounces adorn the skirt shown in the sketch, which is of the

five-gored variety, with graceful sweep and effective fulness. The modes are taken from the current number of *The Delineator*. The waist is simple yet stylish, for it has becoming fulness at each side of the closing, and fluffy caps droop over the top of the sleeves, which are close-fitting and trimmed above the elbow with curved rows of ribbon. The ribbon decoration on the ruffles and heading them is showy in result and the toilette throughout offers suggestions for Summer silks, grenadine, challis and sheer fabrics.

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A STYLISH TOILETTE OF SUMMER CAMEL'S-HAIR, TRIMMED WITH BRAID.

Although transparent fabrics are in high vogue for Summer wear, the light-weight Summer camel's-hair, cheviot and cloth are fashionable for dresses that are to be worn when travelling or on the promenade and by the seashore. The sketch gives a good hint for the making of a camel's-hair toilette trimmed with braid. The modes are presented in the current number of *The Delineator*. The skirt

has a narrow full-length front-gore between short circular portions that are lengthened by a circular flounce; braid adorns the skirt tastefully. The basque-waist is commended for stout ladies, as it has two under-arm gores and is fancifully trimmed. The sleeves are of the modified sort with slight fulness at the top and jaunty cuffs. The mode is suitable for cheviot, vailing, challis and various wool goods, and may be trimmed with plaitings of silk, braid or ribbon. The toque is decorated with flowers and feathers.

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## FASHION'S MIRROR.

A fancy black net supplies the foundation for a jet floral embroidery, the heart of each flower being set with a small cabochon. Black *mousseline de soie* and chiffon are as popular as ever as a background for jet and spangle embroideries, the dull finish of the tissues enhancing the beauty and brilliance of the jet.

Unusually pleasing is the color scheme displayed in a toque of light-green fibre cloth, which is draped in most artistic folds and wrinkles over the shape. A profusion of shaded pink-and-purple fuchsias and leaves trims the left side effectively, though simply, no other trimming being added or, indeed, needed to make the hat a success.

Merely the suspicion of a droop is observable in the back of a blouse jacket-basque, the jacket and vest fronts likewise being pouched.

Another modish blouse-jacket describes flowing fronts with a box-plait suggestion and a belted pouch back.

The gown of cheviot or some such substantial material will be improved by a braid or silk passementerie ornament and the gauzy barège or grenadine costume will be all the handsomer for the application of motifs of cream cotton embroidery combined with roses or other flowers done in silks in natural colors. These are specially dainty and of medium size.

Wool grenadines are, of course, included in the novelty goods and very artistic results are obtained in them. In one style of solid-colored grenadines in an open-meshed weave graduated length-wise stripes run at right angles with crosswise stripes of uniform width.—From *The Delineator*.

**Some Hair Cuts.**

"There are lots of men," says a Philadelphia barber, "who are very particular about hair cuts, but wouldn't have a word to say if they didn't have to pass inspection before their wives when they go home. I know one woman who goes so far as to accompany her husband to the barber shop. There's a regular customer of mine who is always attended by his wife when he gets his hair cut, and she stands right back of me while I work. Every few minutes I stop, and she looks over his head and makes suggestions about a 'little more off here,' 'don't shave his neck' and a lot of such comments. The waiting customers enjoy it pretty well, but I'll bet you he will want a divorce in a year, if he hasn't asked for it already."—Exchange.

**Abyssinia's Emperor.**

The emperor of Abyssinia is about 6 feet in stature without shoes and is stoutly built. His skin is very dark, and he wears a short, curly beard and mustache. His face is heavy in cast, but is redeemed from positive plainness by an extremely pleasant expression and a pair of most intelligent eyes. His smile takes in a wider section of the circumference of his head than is common and displays a particularly fine set of teeth. He generally wears a large black Quaker hat over a white silk handkerchief tied around his head, and a black silk, gold embroidered cloak over a profusion of white linen underclothing.

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